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SUBJECT: APRIL 14 NOON BRIEFING: AMBASSADOR HURWITCH'S
RESIGNATION

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1. CORRECTED TRANSCRIPT OF THE DEPARTMENT'S DAILY NEWS
BRIEFING FOR APRIL 14 CONTAINS FOLLOWING CHANGES FROM
TRANSCRIPT REPORTED REFTEL:

A. TEXT OF THE SPOKESMAN'S ANSWER TO THIRD QUESTION
READS QUOTE - NO. I THINK AS I STATED IN THE STATEMENT
THE REQUIREMENTS OF 28 U.S.C. SECTION 535 SAYS THAT WHEN-
EVER THERE IS AN ALLEGATION OF WRONGDOING THAT THE MATTER
BE REFERRED TO THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.

I'M AFRAID I DON'T HAVE A COPY OF THE STATUTE IN FRONT OF
ME, BUT I THINK THAT ALLEGATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE. THERE-
FORE, THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS REFERRED THE MATTER TO THE
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JUSTICE DEPARTMENT TO SEE WHAT THEIR JUDGMENT IS AS TO THE
APPROPRIATE DISPOSITION OF THE MATTER. UNQUOTE.

B. LAST QUESTION AND ANSWER OF TRANSCRIPT READS QUOTE -
IN OTHER WORDS, SOMEBODY FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE
WENT TO THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC TO LOOK INTO THESE CHARGES?
ANSWER - I BELIEVE THAT IS CORRECT. UNQUOTE.

2. IN RESPONDING TO LOCAL PRESS INQUIRIES EMBASSY SHOULD
NOT GO BEYOND STATEMENT OF THE PRESS SPOKESMAN. ANY
FURTHER QUESTIONS SHOULD BE REFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT. CHRISTOPHER

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